

A GOOD CONCERT

Delightful Entertainment for the Piano Fund.

A SUCCESS IN EVERY WAY

Amateur Orchestra—Individual Performers—A Reading—Object is Accomplished.

The published program for the Progress hall benefit concert of last evening was carried out to the letter. The entertainment was given to make a fund in payment of a new piano for the Bishop Home for Girls at Kalaupapa, Molokai. In every way the event was successful and delightful. The hall is a charming little blyou theater and for the occasion was extra well lighted. There was much remark on the perfect acoustic properties of the hall. The dancing floor was covered with canvas. Comfortable chairs had been provided.

There was a large audience. The hall was filled and the leading society element was well represented. It was a regular picture audience, with the ladies in light costumes and without hats. There is plenty of air in the hall when required and it was not at all warm last evening within the walls.

Wray Taylor, organizer and leader of the Amateur orchestra, was musical director and stage manager. The numbers were given by the orchestra and in each instance the playing was excellent from any point of view. The music had been carefully selected with the taste of the audience and the capability of the organization remembered. The selections were of the good standard, but were not too difficult and were tuneful and pleasing. There was added to the good work of the orchestra as a whole the novel and pretty feature of three ladies playing with the male members. All of the ladies were in the violin section. Mr. Taylor says that the orchestra cannot get along without them now.

Chaplain Karl Schwartz of the First New York Volunteers, has a good voice and is a sympathetic singer. The chaplain has become well-known in Honolulu and was given plenty of applause when he appeared.

Mrs. Mabel Chamberlain Mead has some time since taken rank with the very best of the violin performers of the city. Last evening she fairly outdid herself, playing with an expression that was appealing to the musical and non-musical people of the audience alike. Mr. Mead gave Musin's "Valse de Concert" in a manner that could not but have greatly pleased the noted composer.

Mrs. H. C. Austin, lately of Hilo, has a splendid voice, well trained. Her lower contralto notes were especially clear and absolutely correct, while the range of her voice permits her to render most difficult compositions with ease and grace and to the entire satisfaction of the most critical. The lovers of music here will be pleased to hear Mrs. Austin as often as she can appear. In the selection given by Mrs. Austin the violin obligato was by Mr. R. L. Marx and enhanced much the value of one of the numbers that was among those most appreciated by the audience.

Miss Cartwright's reading was a material feature of the program. Much is always expected of Miss Cartwright and she has not yet disappointed those who have gone to hear her. She has entire command of a winsome voice, and of course is an eloquentist of the first rank, having for several years been the professor of rhetoric at one of the great colleges of the northwest and coming originally from Boston. Miss Cartwright held the closest attention of all with T. B. Aldrich's "A Set of Turquoises." The selection is a dainty little play in two acts, with three characters. The gem was given by Miss Cartwright in a distinct manner that furnished the full effect of the lines.

One of the vocalists of Honolulu whose name on a program is almost magic, is Miss Fredericka Nolte. No matter where or when Miss Nolte sings, her admirers flock to listen. She was in splendid voice last night and her singing was exceptionally good.

Harold Mott-Smith plays the 'cello. And he has a master touch. His interpretation last evening of an air by Bach was something not much short of grand. He has an instrument of fine tone and he handles it in a masterly manner.

The concluding number was a song by A. St. M. Mackintosh and everyone, as Mr. Taylor had anticipated, was sent home in good humor. Mr. Mackintosh chooses a cozier song and did well.

The object for which the concert was given has been accomplished. Enough was realized to pay in full for the

piano, which has already been sent forward. Business men, officials and persons of talents suitable for an entertainment have been generously responsive.

The members of the Amateur Orchestra are:

First Violins—Mrs. M. C. Mead, Miss Lucy Ward, Miss Peck, H. L. Marx, Walter Hyman, T. H. Poole and J. Hollander.
Second Violins—David Charlier, Geo. R. Brillard, Dr. A. J. Derby and W. Ellis.

Viola—Chas. R. Prozier
Violoncello—C. Hedemann
Piano—W. L. Fletcher
Corno—G. J. Bolise
First Clarinet—W. J. Cuello
Second Clarinet—W. A. Barnes
Flutes—S. P. French and W. R. Pinkham.
Double Bass—Geo. Brand
Drums, etc.—E. H. Offley.
Leader—Wray Taylor.

SHIP IS RAISED

Hull of the Baring Brothers Up From Bottom.

Burned and Went Down at Kobe. Faithful Work of the Wrecking People—The Methoas.

News has been received from Kobe of the successful raising of the American ship Baring Brothers, nearly destroyed by fire in the harbor on the night of August 2. Captain Nickel, the purchaser of the hull, did the work. But not till after considerable time, patience and money had been spent on the job. The work occupied several weeks, as the two first attempts at floating her were distinct failures. The first attempt to raise her was by means of barges lashed alongside of the hull. This, however, proved a failure, and so did the second attempt, though from another cause, for just as this attempt was being made a gale sprang up which carried away all the upper work that had been erected at much trouble and expense. On the third and last occasion it was found necessary to start the planking somewhat lower down the sides, as experience had shown that a far greater portion of the sides were charred than was at first supposed to be the case. This difficult job was, however, eventually completed; then two powerful steam pumps set to work in such real good earnest that the ship was again floated and now lies peacefully at anchor off the beach at Ono.

The cost of the wrecking operations must have been considerable, but it is expected that Captain Nickel will more than recover his outlay, for it is estimated that there are some 400 bales of rags still remaining though slightly damaged. Besides the rags there is said to be more than 750 tons of manganese ore, which is by far most valuable portion of the recovered property.

A Father Will Be Sorry.

Soon after young Granville Wells, of the First New York Regiment, entered the Military Hospital, from which his dead body was taken last night, one of the secret societies of the town received a letter from Colonel Wells, father of the boy. Colonel Wells asked that every necessary step for the comfort and good treatment of his son be taken, regardless of expense. Effort was made by the members and officers of the secret society to which father and son belong, to see the patient or to learn of his condition, but without any success whatever. Full particulars will be sent to Colonel Wells.

Uncommon Verdict.

In the case of Allen & Robinson, lumber merchants, against Contractor Lincoln and Minister Henry E. Cooper, a jury considered yesterday before Judge Perry, of the Circuit Court. The Minister of Foreign Affairs appeared for himself. Kinney, Ballou & McClanahan were for Allen & Robinson and Magoon & Stillman for G. W. Lincoln.

The finding was for the defendant Cooper and against the defendant Lincoln. Mr. Lincoln is required to pay the full amount of Allen & Robinson's claim for lumber for Minister Cooper's residence in Manoa—\$2,666.67, with interest at 6 per cent from July 28, 1898.

New School Houses.

These bids for the construction of new school houses were opened by Minister Cooper yesterday:

Four room house at Hilo, Hawaii: J. Erickson\$5,795
W. H. Russell4,225
H. S. Pratt4,382
J. K. Dora5,600

Three room school house at Wai-pahu, Ewa: H. K. Meemano & Co.\$1,865
John Cook2,650
Albert Trask2,220

These bids will be considered at the meeting today of the Commissioners of Education. For the Hilo building the lowest figure is quite within the estimate and if the bidder, Erickson, gets the job he will be required to give a strong bond.

A NATIONAL TALK

Call for Christian Citizenship Convention Issued.

The Sabbath—"Our New Island Territories"—The Canteen—Country Suddenly Called.

A call has been issued and has been received here for a national Christian citizenship convention, to be held in Washington, D. C., December 18th to 15th. The subjects to be discussed are: Should suffrage be limited by educational tests or otherwise in the island territories?

Should civil service reform be extended to the island offices?

Should the national laws forbidding prize fights, bull fights, restricting divorces, and forbidding bigamy and related evils be extended to our new island territories?

Should the American civil Sabbath be also extended to these islands? Should the canteen be abolished?

Should the policy of prohibition be maintained in Alaska and the Indian territory and extended to our new island territories?

The convention is to discuss the new responsibilities of the United States in connection with the war against Spain, and the colonial policy. The circular, calling the convention, has just been issued by Messrs. Levering, Johnston, Josiah Strong, Anthony Comstock, Mrs. Mary H. Hunt, Mrs. M. D. Ellis, Mrs. V. F. Cox, M. D. Kneeland, J. B. Davidson and E. D. Wheelock. This circular sets forth the object of the convention, and is as follows:

"Our country has been suddenly called to develop into self-governing citizenship millions of people that have but recently emerged from savagery, and other millions that have been degraded by long-continued oppression. We, therefore, invite to the above-named convention all Christian citizens, for a conference with special but not exclusive reference to our new island territories."

Among others specially interested in the movement are Revs. Joshua Levering, recently the candidate on the prohibition ticket for the presidency of the United States, and Hugh Johnston, former pastor of the Metropolitan M. E. church, at Washington.

Jury Said Guilty.

The misdemeanor case on in Circuit Court yesterday was an opium affair. A Chinaman was accused of importation and he was convicted after a hard fight between Attorney Davidson for the defense and E. P. Dole for the State. The jury stood nine to three. This is the case in which one of the newly arrived men from China, had loaded a rice mill stove with the contraband drug. Jack McVeigh quite by accident learned of the contents. The heavy stone had been bolted out, filled with opium and put together again very neatly. A sharp eye was required to detect anything wrong. The case for the prisoner was that he did not own the property, that he was watching it for another man and had no idea that he was likely in any way to get into trouble. The man will be delayed at the reef en route to the plantation on which he was to have been employed.

No Camp McKinley.

Camp McKinley is now a thing of the past. The two companies that have been in camp there moved to the new barracks on the Kapihulu road yesterday afternoon. The two companies are occupying one building, temporarily, for sleeping purposes. The buildings are not near completion, having no doors or windows put in yet, but is a much cleaner and more comfortable place to quarter the men than the tents they occupied and which were worn, leaky and dirty, making it impossible for the men to keep clean. The barracks will be used until the remainder of the regiment leaves for San Francisco.

Get No Damages.

After a trial of a week the \$50,000 damage case against the Waiuku plantation on account of the death of a Portuguese by a railway accident on the estate, is ended. Judgment is against the plaintiff, two of the jurors dissenting. In the case were Creighton, Correa and Kepolai for the plaintiff, the widow of the dead man, and Kinney, Ballou & McClanahan for the plantation. The verdict was reached on the argument that the deceased was to blame himself for the accident. Throughout the case there has been shown the utmost industry by the attorneys on either side.

Pains in the chest when a person has a cold indicate a tendency toward pneumonia. A piece of flannel dampened with Chamberlain's Pain Balm and bound on to the chest over the seat of pain will promptly relieve the pain and prevent the threatened attack of pneumonia. This same treatment will cure a lame back in a few hours. Sold by all druggists and dealers. Benson, Smith & Co., Ltd., agents for H. I.

Impure Blood

Suffered for three years.

Mr. F. W. Smith of Honolulu, who has been suffering from impure blood for three years, has had the following experience:



"For the past three years I have been suffering from an eruption of the body. I had medical attendance and had medicine taken and a lotion for outward application, but they did not do me the slightest good. In fact I tried all sorts of medicine and nothing seemed to relieve me. My life was a burden. I had no appetite and I could not sleep. I was strongly advised to try

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by a friend who had received great benefit from it. I did so, and after taking only two bottles the itching left me and I felt better in every way. I continued taking the Sarsaparilla and altogether took six bottles. I am now free from the eruption and can eat and sleep as well as I ever did in my life. I am now about eight months since I was cured, so I am sure I can say the cure is a permanent one."

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LOCAL BREVITIES.

Home.

(U. S. Engineers' Paper.)

"Are we homesick?" is a question. That we're asked "most every day. By the stranger in the tropics. And by friends from far away. Every letter brings the query. From the kin of those who roam. In the land where we have journeyed. Do we sometimes think of home?"

We write back lengthy letters. Telling what we've done and seen. All about the feathery palm trees. And the hillside clad in green. But though we answer the question. Oftentimes the tears drop come. When we read the old folks' writing. And it then we think of home.

By the lonely plover's wailing. By the wavebeats on the shore. By the great grey liners' sailing. By the memories of yore. By the thought of days we've wasted. By the hope of years to come. By the tightening of our heartstrings. They may know we think of home.

Oahu Lodge Social.

Between thirty and forty couples attended the social and dance last evening of Oahu Lodge, Knights of Pythias, No. 1, given in Pythian castle hall on Fort street. The floor was in good condition, nice music was given by a native orchestra and the part was much enjoyed both by resident knights and civilian and military visitors. Refreshments were served throughout the evening. The ball came to an end soon after midnight with due praises to Oahu lodge for its hospitality. The committees were: Reception—G. Dall, John Neil, John Buckley, C. Faneuf, Floor—F. H. Kilbey, G. Ward and G. Erickson.

Hawaiian Bonds.

These are the bond bids reported by S. M. Damon, Minister of Finance:

E. A. Mott-Smith, par\$ 50,000
W. C. Parke, par1,000
F. Philp, par5,000
H. Hackfeld & Co., par40,000
Bishop & Co., 1/4 p. c.250,000

Total\$346,000
The remainder of the total issue of \$500,000 is on sale at par.

A freight train came in last night from the new terminus of the Oahu Railway. By a week from Saturday next trains will be running regularly to Kahuku.

Fred Wundenberg, who has been in California since early in 1895, is soon to return to the Islands. Mr. Wundenberg will be heartily welcomed back by his numerous friends.

It is more than whispered that the errand of Paul Neumann to the States is to fix in concrete at the proper place his application for appointment to the post of first United States At-

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CITY OF PEKING.....	DEC. 22	GALIC.....	DEC. 9
GALIC.....	DEC. 31	CHINA.....	DEC. 20
CHINA.....	DEC. 31	DORIC.....	DEC. 30
CHINA.....	JAN. 14	CHINA.....	1899
CHINA.....	JAN. 14	NIPPON MARU.....	JAN. 6

RATES OF PASSAGE ARE AS FOLLOWS:	
SINGLE TRIP.	
For San Francisco—Cabin.....	\$75
European Steerage.....	25
For Yokohama—Cabin.....	\$150
European Steerage.....	85
For Hongkong—Cabin.....	\$175
European Steerage.....	100
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ROUND TRIP.	
For San Francisco—Cabin, 4 mo's.....	\$131
For Yokohama—Cabin, 4 mo's.....	228
Cabin, 12 mo's.....	282.50
For Hongkong—Cabin, 4 mo's.....	282.50
Cabin, 12 mo's.....	318.25

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Will leave Honolulu every Tuesday at 10 o'clock a. m., touching at Lahaina, Maui, Kure, and Laupahoehoe the following day, arriving in Hilo Wednesday.

LEAVE HONOLULU.

Tuesday.....	Sept. 13	Tuesday.....	Nov. 8
Tuesday.....	Sept. 20	Tuesday.....	Nov. 15
Tuesday.....	Sept. 27	Tuesday.....	Nov. 22
Tuesday.....	Oct. 4	Tuesday.....	Nov. 29
Tuesday.....	Oct. 11	Tuesday.....	Dec. 6
Tuesday.....	Oct. 18	Tuesday.....	Dec. 13
Tuesday.....	Oct. 25	Tuesday.....	Dec. 20
Tuesday.....	Nov. 1	Tuesday.....	Dec. 27

Returning, will leave Hilo at 8 o'clock a. m., touching at Laupahoehoe, Mahukona, Kawaihae, Makana, Maiala Bay and Lahaina the following day, arriving at Honolulu Sunday morning.

ARRIVE HONOLULU

Sunday.....	Sept. 13	Sunday.....	Nov. 13
Sunday.....	Sept. 20	Sunday.....	Nov. 20
Sunday.....	Sept. 27	Sunday.....	Nov. 27
Sunday.....	Oct. 4	Sunday.....	Dec. 4
Sunday.....	Oct. 11	Sunday.....	Dec. 11
Sunday.....	Oct. 18	Sunday.....	Dec. 18
Sunday.....	Oct. 25	Sunday.....	Dec. 25
Sunday.....	Nov. 1	Sunday.....	Dec. 28

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C. L. WRIGHT, President.
S. B. ROSE, Secretary.

CAPT. J. A. KING, Port Superintendent.